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AN EASTERN TALE.

A king once summoned his three sons,
And thus addressed the anxious ones:
"Go forth, my sons, through all the earth
And search for articles of worth;
Then he who brings the choicest thing,
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In one year's time again they meet,
And kneel before the sovereign's feet:
And as with gracious outstretched hand,
He welcomed home the youthful band,
He natural eagerness expressed,
To see the objects of their quest,
The first such lustrous pearls displays,
That every tongue is loud in praise.
So white, the snow-flakes on their way
Compared to them are dull and gray.
The next a diamond more pure,
And larger than the Koh-i-noor,
That shone with such a brilliant light,
The sunbeams, shamed, withdrew from sight.

'Twas hard to choose between the two,
The monarch knew not what to do.
The third is standing calmly there;
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SELECT STORY.

MARKS ON THE PRAIRIE.

Roving one day over the western prairie I came on a deserted "dugout." Near it lay a rusty old tea kettle, a horse's skull and a baby's shoe. Their story? This:

Early morning, a May morning in Kansas. Over all the land a silvery mist, a palpable dewiness, a delicious freshness, the peculiarly rich and subtle scent of freshly turned earth, much of it being soil "broke" for the first time. A proud and prosperous young meadow lark poised upon a fencing post, a spruce young meadow lark in gray coat, yellow vest and black cravat pours out a series of tremulous triple notes, a roundelay to the little mother cuddling her eggs in the springing prairie grasses. The mist begins to rise. Upward, still higher, one marvelous scroll it curls, revealing the pallid primrose of the eastern sky. And now the vapory veil is quite withdrawn, and all the soft rose fires heralding the king kindle into brilliance behind the bluffs. Lighter and brighter it grows. Fraught with promise is all that gleam and glow. Behold, the promise is fulfilled! Up rises a golden line which swells into a curve, a semicircle, a huge, dazzling, blinding ball of flame. Up and up! A thrush from its nest in a cottonwood lifts its voice in jubilant matins, which are chimed in upon by the brisk bravuras of a rival robin.

Men and horses appear in the fields; plows are hauled out; the work of the day begins. In the phrase of the Kansas farmer, "It is sun-up."

Having lumbered through the tiny town which lies upon the state line separating Kansas from Nebraska, crossed the railway track and a brand new bridge, up a steep bluff worn into deep ruts by the daily passage of wagons laden with stone to be shipped farther west, comes slowly and heavily that most familiar of western sights, a prairie schooner. Ponderously plod the horses up the ascent; clumsily lurches along the level attained the great white canvased wagon. Unlike the ordinary emigrant outfit in some respects, this. To be sure, evidences of habitation bulge from the interior, and chairs, stove, broom, with various household utensils, are tied on behind. But there are no cows, no dogs, no scrubby ponies bestridden by bare-legged boys. Of the thousands of wagons which trundle yearly over the western prairies this presents a particularly lonely appearance. Whoever saw one without children? Children of all ages, tow headed, brown skinned, healthy, hearty children, including the inevitable baby staring solemnly from the clasping mothers arms.

Perhaps you may have seen some day,
Roses crowding the selfsame way,
Out of a wilding wayside bush.

The driver whose broad back obscures the light of the front arch, turns in his seat, and glances into the comparative gloom of the interior.

"How is she, Corry?"

"Asleep."

The woman within—a young woman with a pretty, pale, sad face—directs his attention by a glance to the baby in her lap. He nods—draws up the horses by the side of the road.

"Don't you stir," he says. He descends, unhitches the horses, finds twigs, builds a fire, goes to the nearest farm house for water, and comes back with a full kettle, which he suspends over the blaze by a couple of crooked sticks. Soon the smell of sizzling bacon and boiling coffee become appetizingly apparent. Then he goes to the wagon. His wife lays the child gently down; alights. He notices that she is white. "Air you sick?" he asks, quickly.

"No, no," she murmurs. But quite suddenly she sways and falls forward into his arms. The journey, the rough, strange life, the variable weather, the exposure, all have been too much, he decides, for one delicately reared as she. When she revives he insists they shall proceed no farther for a few days, perhaps not for a few weeks. About fifty yards from the road is a little deserted "dugout." Some distance from it a new frame house testifies to the prosperity of the former occupants. From them the "campers" obtain permission to take temporary possession of the queer little cabin. The whole interior consists of one room, and that room 10 feet by 12. To enter it is necessary to descend several rough steps. The walls and floor are of earth just as when dug, quite unconcealed by board or plaster. The sloping roof is of logs, irregular in shape and length; these covered with sod from the prairie. Here, through the changeable weather of May and into warm, beautiful June, five the three, the woman protesting all the time she is strong enough to go on, but growing gradually frailer, weaker. A complete contrast she and her husband. He is a tall, brawny, handsome young fellow, animated by intense admiration of his wife and gentlest devotion to her, but unmistakably her inferior socially and intellectually. She, delicate, dreamy eyed, wrapped up in her baby and her memories to his almost utter exclusion. One day the child sickens, grows violently ill, dies. Her grief is silent, but intense. She will neither eat nor sleep; just sits still as stone in the little "dugout," and looks and stares at the wee waxen thing which lies therein. So, when her husband rides into town to buy the little coffin, he calls in to see the doctor and ask him to come out and visit his wife. At sunset he digs the grave—such a small grave! All around is isolation, prairie, sky. The woman, crouching on the ground near the dwelling, is the only other mourner. The task done, he goes down into the "dugout," and comes up again with the little nailed down box in his arms. Tenderly he lowers it; softly he lets fall upon it each shovelful of earth. He is blind with tears. The fresh brown mound smoothed over, he goes up to his wife. She does not seem to see him. She is looking straight ahead.

"Corry!"

"Don't!" she says savagely. "I've lost him—and now it! I wish I was dead!"

Hurt, irresolute, he stands still a moment. Then he goes within and sits down by the bed where the baby has lain. She is grieving still, then, for the man who failed to come to her the day set for their wedding! Jilted, deserted, yes! That was why in pique and pride she married him, the ignorant gardener of her wealthy uncle, and had gone away with him to Iowa. They had not prospered. She held no communication with those at home. This year, after their baby came, they decided to seek fortune farther west. And now—now the baby was gone and her new loss had brought back the old one.

Hark! A voice speaks without.

"Is any one ill here? There was a request on my slate"——

A cry! Such a queer, wild cry it is that cuts across the stranger's words. The man in the "dugout" leaps to his feet, as does the woman without. Through the doorway, against the patch of sunset sky he can see her standing with arms outflung.

"Willie!" she cries again; "Willie!"

The doctor from town speaks hoarsely one word only—her name. There is absolute silence for a little while. Then he bursts out fiercely, passionately:

"Why couldn't you have waited—I did you no wrong! When I left you the week before we were to have been married, and went up to the city, I got into trouble. I was no saint. I never pretended I was. This was a drunken quarrel. I shot a man. I was unknown, and gave a false name. I was held to await the result of his injuries—held two months. I couldn't write you the truth of the affair. My part in it was too disgraceful. I wouldn't lie. So I was silent till I could tell you all and ask you to forgive me. The man recovered. I was discharged. I went straight to Vanceton. I heard you had married some clod hopping idiot and gone away with him."

"He is good!" she says slowly.

The other laughs harshly. "And you love him, of course!"

"Go!" she cries in weak, womanish fury. "Go!"

"Do you love him, Cora?"

She is ill, trembling. His brutal insistance forces a reply. She slips down by the "dugout" and cowers there with her face hidden. "Oh, Willie! Oh, Willie!" The tone says all. It is full of love, but love that is only pathos, passion, despair. He turns, walks slowly away across the prairie. He is mechanically unhitching his horse when a heavy tread comes toward him. In the clear silverness preceding twilight two men face each other. One speaks calmly: "I heard what you said. Answer me this: If she were free to-morrow would you marry her?"

Quick as a flash comes the reply: "By heavens, yes!"

Then Dr. Herbert, gentleman and student, drives back to town and John Hilton goes to the "dugout"— to his wife. She is still in the same place, the same position. He gets her hat and shawl and carefully puts them on her. Then he leaves her awhile and harnesses up the horse.

"Come, Corry; I'm agoin' to drive you into town. There's goin' to be a storm. I seen the clouds to the north to-night. An' this place leaks dreadful. You must stay at the hotel a while, ef we have to sell the team."

Without a word, stupidly it seems, she obeys him. Through the delicious June twilight they drive the five miles into town. Once he speaks. "Keep this!" he says, and gives her the canvas bag containing all their worldly wealth. At the hotel he procures her a comfortable bed, a soothing drink. She falls asleep. Once, twice, thrice, he kisses her. Then he goes out, climbs up on his huge wagon, heads the horses southward. The storm he prophesied is blowing up. Lances of lightning stab the darkness. Now and then sounds a faint, distant rumble. A soft, strong wind arises. It flaps the loose canvas of the caravan. On the rib roof the first heavy drops of rain begin to patter. On. Across the state line, over the railroad track, up the bluff, along the level—right along. It is here the "dugout" stands? The lightning gives him answer.

The night wears on. The storm increases in volumes. The prairies are rain washed, wind swept. A terrific uproar lasts till dawn. Then the tumult dies down. Peace comes again upon the weary world. And the sun rises. Its radiance glitters across the wet, green grass. Warm grows the air. The hum of insects becomes audible and sweet bird songs are every where.

But what are bird songs to one who sleeps? And surely he is not awake, he who stirless, silent, drenched lies by the little grave upon the breast of the prairie. Clutched in his hand is something which shines in the sunlight. Come away! Let thrush and lark and linnet sing never so lowly, sing till their hearts are empty and their full throats voiceless, they cannot waken one quiet sleeper nor change the peaceful current of his dreams!—Kate M. Cleary in *Chicago Tribune*.

Now, Give Attention

To the purification of your blood, for at no season is the body so susceptible to the benefits to be derived from a good medicine, as in March, April and May. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the people's favorite spring medicine. It stands unequalled for purifying the blood, curing scrofula, salt rheum, etc., regulating the kidneys and liver, repairing nerve tissues, strengthening and invigorating the whole body, as well as checking the progress of acute and chronic disease, and restoring the afflicted parts to a natural, healthy condition. If you have never tried Hood's Sarsaparilla for your "spring medicine," do so this season.

The man who feeds ground oats, bran and corn meal in equal quantities, will get a good many per cent. nearer a correct feeding method than is usually reached, taking our dairymen and farmers as a class.

To Make New Blood Good for Old People

Old and infirm persons need some mild tonic or gentle stimulant, especially in warm weather. The wine made in New Jersey by Mr. Speer, called Speer's Port Wine, makes new healthy blood by reason of the iron in the soil. It is used by the most eminent physicians and in hospitals as the best tonic wine known. Speer's Claret is also regarded as the purest.

Like to be Humbugged.

MANAGERS OF FAKES AND FREAKS AGREE WITH BARNUM.

"The American people like to be humbugged." As with P. T. Barnum so with the managers of the "fakes, freaks and follies" class of dime museums, side shows and traveling stores, this truism is indelibly stamped in letters of gold on the corner stone of their existence. Were it not for this phase of public character, their profession would be vain. But, in addition to this faith in the weakness of Americans, certain other requisites are demanded in the make up of these men.

He needs be something of an actor in order to look one steadily in the face as he asserts what he knows is utterly false; he must be shrewd, quick and cunning in arguments and especially in striking a bargain; he must have a certain volubility and fluency of language with the ability to use big words to impress and bad grammar to put himself in sympathy with the people he expects to victimize; he must have a "plug" hat, a showy suit of cloths, half a dozen paste diamonds set in ring, shirt stud and collar button, and soiled shirt front—the absence or presence of the rest of the garment is immaterial, but fashion has decreed in favor of the bosom. The species is distinct and the specimens have little in common with the rest of humanity. The majority of them were born in the role, with now and then one who has ascended from a helper or descended from the "legitimate." When not "on the road" they frequent certain haunts in the large cities, usually some fifth or sixth class hotel, eagerly watching for the latest humbug and devising means of securing a plant. Even in the smaller cities and towns there are certain boarding houses where they put up known to the profession as well as good begging places to tramps. They are sure to be "dead broke" about three fourths of the time.

SOME OF THE ATTRACTIONS.

The "legitimate" as well as the "illegitimate" business is found among dime museums and low price shows, and there are those who do what they advertise, and work on general business principles, although they may not appeal to the higher tastes and do not contribute to the culture which Matthew Arnold looked for in vain among Americans. It is, however, the poorer class which affect Springfield most—the sort which occupies vacant stores on Main street, or tents on vacant lots when the country fairs are not in progress. A rather confidential dime museum man in the city not long ago was easily led to talk about his brotherhood, and the facts here set forth are mainly as he described them. He had in his "exposition" a snake charmer, an Abyssinian beauty, a bodiless woman and a two headed calf (stuffed). The museum was in a tent about thirty feet in diameter, and the curios were arranged around the sides. Two or three glaring sheets of canvas were stretched about the entrance to depict what the show contained. To be sure, the snakes on the illustration were thirty feet long, while the realities were about thirty inches, and the calf was represented as specially lively, but the Abyssinian and the bodiless woman were fairly portrayed except for an amount of physical beauty which the originals could never have possessed.

The account of these attractions which the proprietor gave was delightfully naive. The snake charmer, he asserted, was the daughter of a real Indian charmer, who was brought over by Barnum. She became enamored with a concert ticke-seller, and, as he had ambition to start a museum, married her, and their only child was then doing the "snake act" on the post office lot in Springfield. The fakir said the mother really had power over snakes, but the daughter used toothless snakes and chloroform. "She is, however," he said, "very fond of snakes, and would sleep with them if I would let her."

The "Abyssinian beauty," Princess Irymi, was described as 23 years old, a native of New York, and descended from poor but honest Irish parents. At the age of 17 she was employed to scrub floors in a New York Bowery dime museum, and there learned the secret of bleaching her hair and being able to make it stand upright. She was paid $5 a week for her services.

The bodiless woman was the fakir's wife, who had formerly been a character dancer in a variety show. The man said that there had been a time when the "bodiless woman act" had been a whole show, and then he had been able to coin money. The calf, or the remains of what had once been a calf, he asserted, was a legitimate curiosity which he had bid in at an auction sale of curios for $3.50. He said that his whole outfit cost $58 and his salary list was from $17 to $25 a week, with his other expenses about $40 a week, and his receipts were from $15 to $35 a day.

WHY THEY DON'T "LAY UP."

"We don't lay up nothin,' though, because when we lay off we have to go with the boys and we all buck the tiger a bit, and, of course, in the long run that beats us." He told of many hardships they had to endure, and said that they are always afraid of getting stranded away from home. Very few of the so called freaks are what they seem, and are "doctored" in a more or less ingenious way. Men are all the time doing something simply to get a job to pose for a wonder, as they are too lazy to work.

One of the most seductive fakes is the traveling store, and it is safe to say that nine times out of ten they are swindles, one way or another, and still they are always largely patronized. They rent the stores for a short time, and so have to pay an exorbitant rent. They oftentimes have to freight the goods two or three times over, and are utterly irresponsible. Notwithstanding these facts, there are hundreds of people who think they can get better bargains there than of the regular merchants. In most cases, where such is the case, the men come by the goods in an irregular way; either the wares are smuggled, are imported with an undervaluation or are stolen outright. The more common method is to sell goods especially manufactured for such sales, and of course made in the very cheapest way, being for the most part utterly worthless. This class of goods comprises about every article known as luxuries for the laboring classes. Many of the goods are sold at auction and the venders always have a plausible story to account for their possession of the goods.—*Springfield Republican.*

The American Girl.

A pleasing and constant topic of English writers is the American girl. One of the latter commentators says of her, "American girls have shown that they can receive, travel, and live without chaperons, escorts, or husbands, and are fast developing a bright, clear, intelligent, self-reliant, courageous, and refreshing variety of the human race." And again, "Even if in future years the slender Yankee belle is hidden behind the ampler beuty of English matron, we may still bear from her lips the wit and shrewdness, the acute accent, the intelligent question, and the rapid repartee that proclaim her original nationality." The "society" pictures in the papers and magazines represent the dismay of the British matron with marriageable daughters as she surveys the avatar of the American divinity and rival. The essential differences of society in the two countries are at once suggested, and the alarm of the watchful parent is justified....

The passage that we have quoted apparently describe by contrast, which is a fact which does not seem to have occurred to the writer. Doubtless at heart he is loyal to the English girl, and does not admit even in debate that her supremacy of maidenhood can be disputed. When he says that American girls have shown that they can receive, travel, and live without chaperons, escorts, or husbands, he seems to mean that they have shown this distinctively as compared with other girls. When he adds that they are fast developing a bright, clear, intelligent, self-reliant, courageous, and refreshing variety of the human race, can he mean that it is a new variety of girl, and that it is not perfectly familiar in England? So in the ohter passage, when, supposing the American girl transformed into the British matron, he remarks, with evident admiration, "we may still hear from her lips the wit and shrewdness, the acute accent, the intelligent question, and the rapid repartee that proclaim her original nationality," would he have us understand that those are not the characteristics of the British matron of to-day? Or does he intimate only that the coming of the Americans will but enlarge the number of these delightful ladies?

The writer certainly seems to describe by contrast, but he has wisely left a little cloud in which to envelop his retreat in case of emergency. Certainly we need not press him. Whatever he may think or say of the English girl, he has spoken well and truly of her American sister. His description applies to the girl who grows up amid the average conditions of American life, the girl who is portrayed in her more jejune condition in Henry James's Daisy Miller. The two chief qualities of that young woman, as represented by the shrewd and subtle artist, are self-respect and self-reliance. The perplexity of the phenomenon to the foreign reader lies in the fact that she does what the European girl without self-respect does. —GEORGE WILLIAM CURTIS, in *Harper's Magazine* for March.

An Imperative Necessity.

What pure air is to an unhealthy locality, what spring cleaning is to the neat house-keeper, so is Hood's Sarsaparilla to everybody, at this season. The body needs to be thoroughly renovated, the blood purified and vitalized, the germs of disease destroyed. Scrofula, Salt Rheum, and all other blood disorders are cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla, the most popular and successful spring medicine.

Proposed Libel Law.

About fifty newspaper publishers and editors met at Harrisburg Tuesday afternoon, Senator Cooper presiding, and adopted the following law on libel to be presented to the legislature:

SECTION 1.—No action for libel shall be brought or maintained unless the plaintiff shall, before bringing suit, request the defendant to publish a retraction of the libel and allow to the defendant a reasonable time in which to publish such retraction, and to make such amends as are reasonable and possible under the circumstances of the case, and proof of the publication of any such retraction or correction shall be admissable in evidence under the general issue on the question of the good faith of the defendant, and in mitigation and reduction of damages. Proof of the failure or neglect of the plaintiff to comply with the provisions of this section, may be given in evidence under the general issue in bar of the action.

SECTION 2.—It shall not be lawful for any attorney-at law to bring or conduct any action of libel for a contingent fee or on any understanding, express or implied, that he is to receive any portion or all of the damages received as compensation for his services, nor shall any attorney at-law advance any money or incur any liability for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the plaintiff in such action.

SEC. 3.—No action of libel, civil or criminal shall be brought unless the plaintiff or prosecutor shall first give security for the payment of costs, provided that in case the plaintiff or prosecutor shall by petition to the court of common pleas or quarter sessions of the proper county, declare that he is unable to provide such security. The court may, upon being satisfied that said plaintiff or prosecutor has proper cause for action, allow him to bring suit without giving security.

SEC 4.—All acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed.

That Tired Feeling

Season is here again, and nearly every one feels weak, languid, and exhausted. The blood, laden with impurities which have been accumulating for months, moves sluggishly through the veins, the mind fails to think quickly, and the body is still slower to respond. Hood's Sarsaparilla is just what is needed. It purifies, vitalizes, and enriches the blood, makes the head clear, creates

The Columbian.

G. E. Elwell, J. K. Bittenbender., } Editors.

BLOOMSBURG, PA.

FRIDAY, MARCH 8, 1889.

THE INAUGURATION.

Benjamin Harrison, of Indiana, became the twenty third President of the United States at a quarter before one Monday, March 4th, amid surroundings the most inspiring and at the same time the most discouraging that ever ended the installation of a successor of Washington. So many American citizens never before assembled in Washington to celebrate the accension of a Chief Magistrate. There never before were preparations made for so long and imposing a procession to escort the new President from the Capitol to the White House or for so splendid a parade.

But the rain, cold and continuous, fell all day, and the new President took his oath of office under an umbrella surrounded by officials of State who could not sit down because there was not a dry thing to sit upon, and in the presence of a crowd of people absolutely soaked.

President-elect Harrison and Vice-President-elect Morton, together with Senators Hoor, Cockrell and Callom were driven to the White House a little before eleven o'clock, where they were joined by President Cleveland and his members of the Cabinet, and all started for the Capitol. Soon after their arrival at the senate chamber at the Capitol, Vice-President Morton was sworn in as president of the Senate by Mr. Ingalls, president pro tem. Immediately after the close of Vice President Morton's speech in the Senate, and when the Senators had been sworn in, General Harrison, President Cleveland and about two hundred others made their way to the platform on the east portico of the Capitol, where it was decided to administer the oath of office to the President-elect.

General Harrison stepped upon the small elevated platform with the Chief Justice and the Congressional committees. On his head was a shining beaver, which was rapidly saturated with rain, despite the umbrella held over him by Colonel Canaday. As he stood before the multitude, surrounded by only a few hardy statesmen, cheer after cheer arose. Umbrellas were lowered and the multitude excitedly waved their hats and handkerchiefs.

General Harrison touched his lips to the Bible in the hands of Chief Justice Fuller as he pronounced the words of obligation, and the crowd roared and roared with applause.

Everybody on the stand stood during the long inaugural address, not so much out of respect as because every chair was soaking wet. Mr. Cleveland and the Chief Justice stood by the side of the new President as he read his address, holding the manuscript in his left hand and gesticulating freely with his right, his head protected by his hat pulled down over his forehead and the umbrella Sergeant-at-Arms Canaday held over it, his neck sheltered by his coat collar and his eyesight assisted by a pair of steel-rimmed spectacles.

THE PARADE.

Half a million people were soaked to the skin and chilled to the marrow watching the parade. Fifty thousand men who formed the procession were saturated, too, by the stubborn drizzle that trickled from the skies all day. The raw wind from the northwest made everybody shiver. Pennsylvania avenue, which was a sheet of muddy water yesterday, was a river to-day. There has never been such a scene in Washington.

GREELY UNHAPPY.

The unhappiest man in Washington was General Greely, the head of the Weather Bureau, who had predicted fair weather. Every man's trousers were smeared with mud to the knees. Every woman's skirts were bordered with mud, too. Celebrated beauties, diplomats, statesman of high degree, wallowed through the mud without a murmur of complaint. Everybody was bent on seeing the parade and Harrison. Everybody saw both. The parade, of course, was the feature of the day. The rain helped to spoil it

President Harrison has selected the following as members of his Cabinet:

James G. Blaine, of Maine, Secretary of State; William Windom, of Minnesota, Secretary of Treasury; Redfield Proctor, of Vermont, Secretary of War; Benj. F. Tracy, of New York, Secretary of Navy; John Wanamaker, Penna. Postmaster General; John W. Noble, Misouri, Secretary of Interior; W. H. H. Miller, Indiana, Attorney General; Jeremiah McLane Rusk, of Wisconsin, Secretary of Agriculture.

Prohibitory Amendment vs. Personal Liberty.

Absolute liberty is that which is exercised by Pirates and Nihilists, unrestrained by any laws human or divine, in selfish disregard of the rights and lives of others.

Civil liberty, is natural liberty restrained, so far and no farther than is necessary for the welfare of the community. The term is used to denote the amount of absolute liberty which is actually enjoyed by the various citizens under the government and laws of the state as administered.

The real issue. resolves itself into this:

Does the prohibition of the dram shop industry, restrain individual liberty more than is necessary for the common welfare?

The prohibitory amendment adopted in Iowa, by a majority of 29,759, on the 27th of June, 1882, was in these words:

"SECTION 26. No person shall *manufacture for sale*, or sell, or keep for sale, as a beverage, any intoxicating liquors whatever, including ale, wine and beer. The general Assembly shall by law prescribe regulations for the enforcement of the prohibition herein contained, and shall thereby provide suitable penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof."

The meaning of our proposed amendment is precisely the same; although owing to botchery in the wording of it, persons not learned in the law, are apt to misunderstand it. It is as follows:

The manufacture, sale, or keeping for sale, of intoxicating liquor to be used as a beverage is hereby prohibited, and any violation of this prohibition shall be a misdemeanor punishable as shall be provided by law."

In a technical sense, the word "*manufacture*" as used, would include the case of a single individual, making wine from grapes, or any other alcoholic liquor for his own use, but not for sale. But the words of a legislative enactment; if of common use, are to be taken in their natural, plain, obvious and ordinary signification and import; and are not to be taken in a technical sense unless it clearly appears that the words were intended to be applied differently from their ordinary acceptation. The real intention of the legislature, when ascertained by the courts, will always prevail over the literal sense of terms. And the intention is to be collected from the context and the evil to be remedied. 1 Kent, 510 in its common acceptation the word signifies, manufacture for *use and sale*; requiring the hands of skilled mechanics following that occupation, at an establishment erected for the purpose. The fact that there is no mischief to be remedied in the line of individuals making wine or other alcoholic liquors for use but not for sale, taken in connection with the context of the proposed amendment, and the other fact that it is extremely doubtful whether the legislature has a right to restrain the personal liberty of a citizen in this respect when he injures no one but himself, the proposed amendment would not be construed to apply to the case of making wine or other alcoholic liquor for private use, but not for sale. The amendment therefore if adopted, will not unnecessarily interfere with the individual liberty of the citizen in respect of making, buying, importing, keeping and using as a beverage alcoholic or any other sort of liquor. It strikes directly only at the *sale*; in other words at the liquor stores and dram shops. The object is to do away with the dram-shop as an unbecoming business; a vocation unlike other industries, in that the less dilligently it is plied the better for the community; and which business possibly is plied more industriously than it otherwise would be, in order to get the money back that it costs to make it legal by license Hence, the higher the license, the stronger the motive to increase the sales. It is right here that those interested in the liquor traffic dodge the issue by presenting a false one. They charge that prohibition proceeds on the false ground that alcoholic liquor is a poison, and that any habitual use of it is an evil. The prohibitory amendment proceeds on no such ground. It proceeds on the theory that the license laws, by giving a monopoly of the liquor market to a comparatively few persons, thereby builds up, and establishes an artificial industry; an industry that could not grow spontaneously, like agriculture, trades of mechanics and other useful callings; except for the monopolistic advantages of the license laws. Under the practical operation of these laws as administered by the respective courts, the counties are divided up into liquor districts, corresponding somewhat in size to the common school districts; with one or more legalized dram shop in each district. In Philadelphia, the Judges have lately enlarged the liquor districts; thereby rendering the monopoly of the market in such districts more valuable. The immediate effect of this is to discommode the tipplers and drunkards until the saloon owners shall have time to adjust their accomodations to suit their extended markets.

The only substantial and practical difference between the amendment if adopted, and the license laws, is this: The amendment will simply do away with the unequal and monopolistic features of the license laws and place all on an equality. Our license laws are very comprehensive *prohibitory laws*; for all persons except the comparative few to whom the courts grant the monopoly, under the name of license: A monopoly so valuable that it builds up millionairs in the liquor traffic, who are thus enabled to put hundreds of thousands of dollars into every amendment campaign; in order to save and keep to themselves unequal advantages in the license laws. To make it plainer that the monopolistic features of the license laws build up and establishes the saloon industry, let us divide the people into two classes, viz; tipplers, which includes drunkards also, and non tipplers. Now nothing can be plainer than that, if the tippling class were not recruited from time to time from the non tippling class, most of the tipplers who would not reform would graduate as drunkards, and rapidly die out. Now how are recruits to the tippling class usually obtained? It is a common saying among saloon keepers, that "I do not do business for the fun of it I do business to make money." He displays his variety of liquors in the most inviting manner, and reasons thus:

"I have paid for my high license and now it is lawful for me to sell all I can short of making drunk. Most of my old customers are no longer desirable. In many instances their creditors have acted on the old adage, "when a man begins to tipple let his creditors secure their debts;" and have closed in upon them. With others their money has run out, and their ragged wives and children are begining to beg, and to unreasonably blame me; when I am but faithfully obeying the license laws which the people have voted for. I need new customers of a more respectable character, the more so on account of my increased expenditures; and where are they to come from? They must necessarily come from the non-tippling class." Then he begins to spot the young men whom he thinks would make the most profitable customers; and the most agreeable clerks are set to work to rope them in. Politicians, lawyers, clerks and agents who have the handling of money, and rich men's sons are especially looked after. Hence, parents are often stricken with grief and astonishment, to learn that their sons have become tipplers. But this is just retribution for voting for the license laws. The cause for wonder is, what they do resist the surrounding temptations.

In this connection, the following question is asked of Ministers:

Does the Bible where it reads thus, "Woe unto him that giveth his neighbor drink, that puttest thy bottle to him, and makest him drunken also," (Habakkuk 2nd Chapter, 15 verse;) apply to sales of alcoholic liquor by authority of licenses to saloon keepers?

If it applies, it follows that our license laws are not founded on Christianity; and that persons voting in favor of them are primarily the sinners, rather than the saloon keepers who simply obey the law; not having voted for it.

E. H. Little.

Bloomsburg, Penna.

The Oft Told Story

Of the peculiar medicinal merits of Hood's Sarsaparilla is fully confirmed by the voluntary testimony of thousands who have tried it. Peculiar in the combination, proportion, and preparation of its ingredients, peculiar in the extreme care with which it is put up, Hood's Sarsaparilla accomplishes cures where other preparations entirely fail. Peculiar in the unequalled good name it has made at home, which is a "tower of strength abroad," peculiar in the phenomenal sales it has attained,

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Is the most popular and successful medicine before the public today for purifying the blood, giving strength, creating an appetite.

"I suffered from wakefulness and low spirits, and also had eczema on the back of my head and neck, which was very annoying. I took one bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla, and I have received so much benefit that I am very grateful, and I am always glad to speak a good word for this medicine." MRS. J. S. SNYDER, Pottsville, Penn.

Purifies the Blood

Henry Biggs, Campbell Street, Kansas City, had scrofulous sores all over his body for fifteen years. Hood's Sarsaparilla completely cured him.

Wallace Buck, of North Bloomfield, N. Y., suffered eleven years with a terrible varicose ulcer on his leg, so bad that he had to give up business. He was cured of the ulcer, and also of catarrh, by

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Sold by all druggists. $1; six for $5. Prepared only by C. I. HOOD & CO., Apothecaries, Lowell, Mass.

100 Doses One Dollar

SHERIFF'S SALE.
OF VALUABLE
Real Estate!

By virtue of a writ of Alias Fi. Fa. issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia county and to me directed, will be exposed to public sale at the Court House, in the town of Bloomsburg on

SATURDAY, MARCH 30th, 1889

at 9 o'clock a. m., all that certain tract of land situate in Beaver township, Columbia county, Pa., bounded and described as follows, to wit: On the north by land of John Hosler estate, on the east by land of Jacob Baker, on the south by land of Jesse Johnson estate, on the west by land of Miles Reilly and Thomas Lutz, containing

THIRTY-FIVE ACRES,

more or less, whereon are erected a frame-dwelling house, a bank barn and outbuildings.

Seized taken into execution, and to be sold as the prosperty of Michael Thoerner and Lena Thoerner.

JOHN B. CASEY,
MARR, Atty. Sheriff.

ORPHANS' COURT SALE
OF VALUABLE
Real Estate!

The undersigned administratrix of John C. Jones deceased, will expose to public sale on the premises, on

Saturday, March 16th, 1889.

at 10 o'clock a. m., the following described real state. All that certain house and lot of ground situate on East street, in the town of Bloomsburg, bounded on the north by an alley, on the east by Chestnut Alley, on the south by lot of Eli Jones, and on the west by East street of said town, being 40 feet front on said East street, and 200 feet deep along said alley, on which is erected a two story

FRAME DWELLING HOUSE,

comparatively new, a good stable, kitchen, large coal and wood house, and other out buildings. There is an abundance of good fruit trees on the premises. Water handy at the back door. Gas pipe throughout the house. The whole house has been repapered and repainted within a short time. House large and commodious. Good garden attached to the premises. Possession given April 1, 1889

TERMS OF SALE.—Ten per cent. of one-fourth at the striking down of the property, the one-fourth less the ten per cent. at the confirmation of sale, and the remaining three-fourths in one year thereafter, with interest from confirmation nisi Purchaser to pay for deed.

GRANT HESSING, Atty.

MARY M. JONES,
Mar 8 Administratrix.

NOTICE IN DIVORCE.

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF COLUMBIA COUNTY, NO. , DECEMBER TERM, 1888.

Elizabeth Snyder, by her next friend, William Ross, vs. W. H. Snyder.

To W. H. Snyder, respondent above named:

Whereas upon the petition or libel of the said Elizabeth Snyder, above named, a subpœna being awarded by the Court of Common Pleas of said county, a subpœna issued out of the said Court commanding you, the said W. H. Snyder, to be and appear at the next regular term of said Court to show cause, if any you have, why the said libellant should not be divorced from the bonds of matrimony which she has contracted with you, agreeably to the prayer of said petitioner; and, whereas, upon the return of the said subpœna, due proof was made that you could not be found or served with the same by the bailiwick of the Sheriff of said county; whereupon an alias subpœna was awarded by the said Court, commanding you to be and appear at the then next regular term of said Court, to answer, &c. as aforesaid, to which the same return was made by the Sheriff.

You are therefore required to be and appear on the first day of regular term of said Court, to be held at Bloomsburg, for the said county, on the first Monday of May next, A. D. 1889, to answer the complaint aforesaid.

JOHN B. CASEY,
Feb 15-4t Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S SALE
OF VALUABLE
Real Estate!

By virtue of a writ of Vend. Ex. issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Col. Co. Pa., and to me directed, will be exposed to public sale at the Court House, Bloomsburg, on

SATURDAY, MARCH 23rd, 1889

at 2 o'clock p. m.

All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in Montour twp., Col. Co. Pa., bounded on the north by land of William Roberts, on the east by land of Joseph Roberts, on the south by land of Samuel Fisher and on the west by land of Wm. Neal, containing forty acres, more or less, whereon are erected a frame dwelling house, barn and outbuildings.

Seized, taken into execution and to be sold as the property of Jos. B. Fry.

Knorr & Wintersteen, Attys.

JOHN B. CASEY,
Mar 1 Sheriff.

ANNUAL STATEMENT
—OF—
BLOOM POOR DISTRICT,
From Jan. 9, 1888, to Jan. 14, 1889.
JOHN K. GROTZ, Treasurer.

DR.

To Balance in Treasurer's hands Jan. 9, 1888		$ 1192 34
To Cash Rec'd on Bloom dup. 1887		974 91
" " " Scott " "		484 56
" " " Greenwood dup '87		259 10
" " " Sugarloaf " "		330 31
" " " Bloom dup. 1888		1594 03
" " " Scott " "		325 00
" " " Greenwood dup. 1888		275 00
" " " Sugarloaf " "		50 00
" " " Scott dup 1888		312 19
" Interest on Mrs. Brown's Acct		81 66
" Rent on Mrs. Brown's House		31 00
" " on Long House of P. Cox		18 75
" cash Crossy & Wells on lumber		150 00
" " Catawissa Twp for 1 Gwen bill		25 75
" " on H A Parker's account		78 10
" " on sale of Long property		20 00
" " Hester Sterner (Paid for A. Sterner)		104 00
To cash Refunded		48 00
		$ 6297 91

CR.

By old orders redeemed	$ 187 81	
" orders for 1888 redeemed	5594 03	
" Commission	115 68	
" postage	20	
" Bal. in Treasurer's hands	400 24	
		$ 6297 91
Orders outstanding Jan. 9 1888	274 18	
Orders issued from Jan. 9 1889 to Jan. 14 1889	5692 20	
		$ 5966 33
Orders of 1887 and 1888 redeemed	3 73	
Orders of 1887 redeemed	184 08	
Orders of 1888 redeemed	5594 03	
Orders on standing Jan 14 1889	184 49	
		$ 5966 33

EXPENSES FOR YEAR ENDING JAN. 14 1889.

Provisions and Supplies	255 79
Fire and Light	101 00
Clothing and Shoes	41 95
Furniture, Bedding and Dry Goods	111 70
Medicine and Medical Supplies	179 65
Ordinary repairs	62 22
Traveling expenses	5 85
Mower	45 00
Farm expenses	169 02
Smith work	21 30
Incidental expense	50
Thomas McBride	675 00
Dr. McReynolds	50 00
Dr. Rodeker	50 00
Jacob Schuyler Director	100 00
C. A. Klein "	100 00
L. M. Petitt "	100 00
L. B. Rupert secretary	100 00
Mrs Mollride Matron	50 00
Auditors and Clerk for Jan. 1888	35 00
Total current expenses	$ 2216 66
Building and Improvement	314 32
Other extraordinary expenses	31 26
Tobacco	20 97
Chopping wood	49 51
Printing statement of 1887	41 00
Orders of relief	13 00
Expenses on Brown house	6 39
Coffin for Shott Sugarloaf	17 00
" " Owens Bloom twp	17 25
Coffin, $15 00, grave $4 00 digging $3 00 to bury Wm. Ingold, Scott twp	22 00
Tramps	19 00
Support of Cook boy Scott twp	26 14
Other out door	117 11
Tax on Long House	6 31
Expense on Geo. Samuels case	98 25
Insurance	27 00
Postage and Stationary	2 75
Expenses on Tyke case Scott township	71 42
	$ 3125 00

INSANE IN STATE HOSPITAL.

George Fox Scott township 52 2-7 weeks $3 00	104 57
Jesse Kelly Hemlock twp. 52 2-7 weeks $2 00	104 57
I. Z Kahler Bloom twp. 52 2-7 weeks $2 00	104 57
John Boyer Scott township 52 2-7 weeks $2 00	104 57
Alzie M Sterner 52 2-7 weeks $2 00	104 57
Ephraim Ikeer, Greenwood 41 weeks $2 00	82 00
H Lee Patterson Greenwood 10 weeks $2 00	20 00
Wm Fry Bloom 5 1-7 weeks $2 00.	10 29
	$ 635 14

OUT DOOR RELIEF.

Jackson Karns Bloom	80 50
Al Cadow Bloom	162 00
M. Dawson "	78 00
H. S. Young "	94 50
Fred Wiemer Bloom	44 85
Hester Bombay Scott twp	148 44
Wm. Barkley Bloom	180 00
Caroline Smith Bloom	78 00
Minerva May Bloom	66 00
Wm. Ingold Scott twp	30 95
Hannah Tyke Scott twp	1 00
Amanda Robbins Greenwood township	397 75
Jacob Swisher Greenwood twp	16 00
Lucy Wertman Bloom	51 50
E. Ebner catching and aking to Asylum Greenwood	16 97
Mrs. Charles Hamilton Greenwood	23 50
Mrs. William Evans Greenwood	13 79
John C. Albertson Greenwood	46 18
Geo. and Mrs. Vanatta Greenwood	115 71
Samuel Farver Bloom	3 00
John Yount Scott	4 00
Hozetta Dodson Bloom	13 36
H. Rhodes Bloom	15 60
Daniel Ingold Bloom	11 51
Mrs. Willet Bloom	4 58
Ann Mulley Scott	7 00
Edward Henry Greenwood	187 98
Isaiah Owen Bloom	7 50
George Samuels Bloom	80 37
Frank Rhodonmoyer Bloom	60 10
Wm. Shoemaker	7 77
	$ 1932 66
Jackson Karns Flour from Farm	15 50
Al Cadow Flour from Farm	34 60
	$ 46 20

We, the undersigned, Auditors of the townships comprising "The Bloom Poor District," met at the Alms House on the second Monday of January 1889 that being the 14th, examined the accounts of the Treasurer and Directors from January 9th 1888 to January 14 1889 and the vouchers for the same, find them correct, as set forth above.

JOSEPH GARRISON,
A. C. PARK,
WILLIAM HOGART, } Auditors.
J. E. WELLIVER.

VALUE OF REAL AND PERSONAL PROPERTY belonging to "The Bloom Poor District," January 14 1889.

Balance due on Duplicates.

Dup.	1888.	Paid.	Due.
Bloom	2892 70	1594 03	1298 67
Scott	1046 49	325 00	681 49
Greenwood	893 73	375 00	518 73
Sugarloaf	269 71	50 00	219 71

Less estimated exonerations and commissions		2717 93 330 00
		2387 92
Farm and Buildings		13500 00
Bal. on sale of Long property		250 00
3 Horses		300 00
9 Cattle		250 00
13 Shoats		90 00
2 Sows		70 00
15 Sucking Pigs		15 00
80 Chickens		31 50
190 Bush. Wheat		190 00
300 " Oats		90 00
900 " Corn ears		180 00
2000 lb of Pork and Lard		160 00
15 ton Hay		195 00
40 Bush. Apples		30 00
8 " Beets		4 00
20 " Turnips		6 00
3 " Onions		3 75
450 heads cabbage @ 5c		22 50
100 lb packed butter @ 25c		25 00
2 bbl. Vinegar @ $6 00		12 00
2300 sheaves Corn Fodder @ 5c.		115 00
900 lb. Beef		81 00
100 bush. Potatoes		50 00
4 tons Coal $3 50		14 00
Farm Implements		700 00
Furniture in Alms House		250 00
Furniture in Stewards House		200 00
1 bush Beans		2 00
1 bbl Saurkraut @ 5 00		5 00
17 acres grain in ground		119 00
½ bbl Pickles		3 00
		$16848 75

PRODUCTS RAISED ON FARM IN 1888.

991 Bush Wheat		291 00
386 " Oats		115 80
30 " Rye		15 00
1120 " Corn ears		224 00
75 " Winter apples		37 00
12 " Beets		6 00
31 " Turnips		9 00
5 " Onions		5 00
2 " Beans		4 00
140 " Potatoes		56 00
2720 lb Pork and Lard		217 60
71 lb Butter		117 75
840 lb Beef		29 90
18 ton Hay		216 00
15 Shoats		45 00
2 Calves		18 00
75 Chickens		14 00
612 head Cabbage		36 60
470 doz. Eggs		94 00
40 bundles Rye straw		5 00
2 bbl Vinegar		10 00
2 bbl Cider		8 00
7748 sheaves of Corn Fodder		13 40
25 bu hels Tomatoes		12 50
Flour had by Karns and Cadow		49 20
		$ 1767 95
No. of Paupers remaining in Almshouse last report	9	
No. Admitted during year	13	22
No. Discharged during year	9	
No Died during year	1	10
No. Persons in Poor House Bloom	2	
No Persons in Poor House Scott	3	
No. Persons in Poor House Greenwood	7	
No. Remaining Jan. 1 1889		12

JACOB SCHUYLER,
C. A. KLEIN,
L. M. PETTIT, } Directors.
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The undersigned administrator of James Commons, late of Bloomsburg, deceased, will expose to public sale on the premises on

FRIDAY, March 22nd, 1889,

at 10 o'clock a. m., the following described real estate:

No. 1. All the right, title and interest of said deceased in the following described tract of land situate in the town of Bloomsburg, on the Bloom Ferry road, near the river, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a corner in the public road leading from Bloom Furnace to the Susquehanna River, thence by land of Eli Jones, south 61¾ degrees, west 27 and three-tenths perches to a corner, thence by land of John A. Funston, north 29 degrees, west eleven and seven and one-half-tenths perches, thence by other land of Freas Brown north 61¾ degrees east 27 and three-tenths perches to a corner in said public road, thence along said road south 28¾ degrees, east eleven and seven and one-half tenth perches to the place of beginning, containing

2 ACRES

neat measure, more or less.

No. 2. A certain piece or parcel of land situate in the town of Bloomsburg, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a corner in a public road leading from Bloom Furnace to the Susquehanna river, running thence by land of F. Brown south 61¾ degrees, west 27 and twenty-two one hundredth perches to a corner, thence by land of Jacob Diefienbach south 29 degrees, east 5 and nine tenths perches to a corner, thence by land of Joseph E. Barkley north 61¾ degrees, east 27 and and nineteen one hundredth perches to the public road aforesaid, and thence in publi road north 28¾ degrees, west 5 and nine-tenths perches to place of beginning, containing

1 ACRE,

whereon is erected a two-story frame dwelling house and outbuildings. (About one-fourth of this tract was conveyed to John Wildon by James Commons and wife by deed, dated Sept 8, 1879).

TERMS OF SALE.—Ten per cent. of one-fourth at the striking down of the property, the one-fourth less the ten per cent at the confirmation of sale, and the remaining three-fourths in one year thereafter, with interest from confirmation nisi.

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GEO. E. ELWELL,
Feb 22 Administrator.

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Mar-1-* Administrator.

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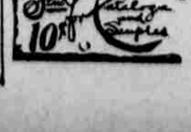

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B. F. GARDNER,
Feb 22-3t S. S. ARMENT.

Feb 22-1. & T-4t.

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Our prices in the CHINA AND MUSIC Department have been greatly reduced, and we would have you bear in mind that never before was there such an opportunity offered to those desiring to embellish their homes with such beautiful and recherché articles at so small an outlay. Now is the time to secure bargains in PIANOS AND ORGANS, as they are offered at figures far below former prices. A cordial invitation is extended to one and all to examine our goods and prices.

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FRIDAY, MARCH 8, 1889.

CORRECT RAILROAD TIME TABLE.

BLOOMSBURG & SULLIVAN RAILROAD

Taking effect MONDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 1888.

STATIONS.	Ar. P. M.	Ar. P. M.	Ar. A. M.	Lv. A. M.	Lv. P. M.	Lv. P. M.
Bloomsburg	6 28	1 05	8 09	8 35	2 25	6 40
Main Street	6 18	12 53	7 58	8 46	2 36	6 51
Irondale	6 16	12 50	7 55	8 48	2 42	6 53
Paper Mill	6 08	12 40	7 48	8 56	2 52	7 04
Lightstreet	6 00	12 35	7 45	9 00	2 57	7 08
Orangeville	5 51	12 20	7 35	9 13	3 20	7 16
Forks	5 45	12 00	7 20	9 25	3 36	7 31
Tubbs	5 42	11 53	7 15	9 30	3 42	7 36
Stillwater	5 37	11 45	7 10	9 37	3 50	7 43
Benton	5 29	11 30	7 00	9 47	4 15	7 52
Edsons	5 23	11 20	6 56	9 51	4 20	7 56
Coles Creek	5 20	11 15	6 52	9 56	4 24	8 00
Sugarloaf	5 16	11 10	6 48	10 00	4 28	8 05
Laubachs	5 13	11 05	6 45	10 04	4 32	8 10
Central	5 06	10 57	6 38	10 12	4 40	8 15
Echo Park	5 03	10 52	6 35	10 15	4 43	8 19
Jamison City	4 59	10 45	6 30	10 20	4 50	8 25
	Lv. P. M.	Lv. A. M.	Ar. A. M.	Ar. A. M.	Ar. P. M.	Ar. P. M.

Trains on the P. & R. R. leave Rupert as follows:

NORTH.	SOUTH.
7:22 a. m.	11:04 a. m.
3:42 p. m.	6:20 p. m.

Trainson the D. L. & W. R. R. leave Bloomsburg as follows:

NORTH.	SOUTH.
7:19 a. m.	8:32 a. m.
10:57 a. m.	12:06 p. m.
2:24 p. m.	4:18 p. m.
6:36 p. m.	8:47 p. m.

Trainson the N. & W. B. Railway pass Bloom Ferry as follows:

NORTH.	SOUTH.
10:46 a. m.	11:55 a. m.
4.36 p. m.	4:30 p. m.
SUNDAY.	
NORTH.	SOUTH.
10:16 a m	6:39 p m

SALES.

MARCH 8TH.—E. W. M. Lowe will sell valuable personal property, on the premises at Irondale at 10 o'clock a. m.

MARCH 8TH.—John H. Lunger will sell valuable personal property on the premises of John H. Fritz, in Jackson township at 10 o'clock a. m. Horses, cows, farm implements, household articles, etc.

MARCH 8, Daniel Yocum will sell horses, cows, pigs, farm machinery, household and kitchen furniture on his premises in Hemlock township, across the creek at Red Rock bridge at 10 a. m.

MARCH 13.—William Ash will sell personal property on his premises in Fishingcreek township, at 10 a. m.

March 14. The administrators of Samuel Nungesser will sell a farm in Beaver township on the premises at 10 a. m.

MARCH 14.—C. A. Harman will sell horses, cattle, farm machinery, wagons, sleds, etc., at his residence in Mifflin twp. at half past nine o'clock, a. m.

SATURDAY, MARCH 16th.—Mrs. Mary Jones administratrix, will sell valuable real estate on late premises of John C. Jones, East Street, Bloomsburg Pa. Sale commences at 10 o'clock a. m.

MARCH 18.—R. T. Smith will sell valuable personal property on his farm near Benton, at 10 a. m. Horses, cows, farm implements, etc.

MARCH 19.—I. K. Krickbaum, administrator of Andrew Runyan, will sell valuable real estate and personal property on the premises in Benton township, at 1 o'clock P. M.

MARCH 19.—T. F. Belles will sell valuable personal property on the premises of C. L. Belles in Benton township near Hulme farm at 10 a. m. Horses, cows, farm implements, etc.

MARCH 21.—John Zaner will sell farming implements and live stock on his premises in Fishingcreek township. About twenty head of horses will be sold.

MARCH 22.—Geo. E. Elwell, administrator of James Commons, will sell real estate in Bloomsburg at 10 A. M.

FOR SALE. Thirty acres of timber land in Pine township, two acres cleared, property of Mrs. Mary A. Joyal. Inquire of Geo. E. Elwell, Bloomsburg, for terms. tf

FOR SALE. Fifty-seven acres of land in Sugarloaf township, being part of the Wolcott Harvey farm. Good farm land, and a valuable timber tract. Inquire of Geo. E. Elwell, Bloomsburg. tf

FOR SALE.—A valuable vacant lot on Market Street, three good store properties, twelve dwellings, six farms, two grist mills, one saw mill, also a good farm of 367 acres in Virginia, by M. P. Lutz, Insurance and Real Estate Agt., Bloomsburg. Pa

FOR SALE.—A valuable farm in Madison Township containing 115 acres, fine buildings. Will be sold on easy payments. If not sold at private sale by July 1st, will be sold at public sale. For terms inquire of J. S. Williams, Bloomsburg. tf.

FOR SALE.—A farm, situated in Frosty Valley, 87 acres, good timber land, house and barn, good well of water, young apple orchard, etc. Must be sold by 1st of March. Apply to J. S. Williams, Bloomsburg, Pa.

FOR SALE.—A desirable and commodious residence on Main street, supplied with water, gas and steam. Apply to jan20tf. L. N. MOYER.

FOR RENT.—A desirable dwelling house on Eighth street. Inquire at this office.

FOR SALE.—An elegant walnut sideboard with large mirror, as good as new, will be sold cheap. Inquire at COLUMBIAN office. tf.

O. A. Jacoby will sell valuable household furniture on the 22nd inst. at 11 o'clock.

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Personal.

Mrs. Alice Hughes of Shamokin visited friends in this place last week.

Mrs. Arthur Bloom of Grant, Nebraska, is visiting her relative here.

G. A. Potter proprietor of the Millville *Tablet* was in town Friday of last week.

W. R. Demott of Eyers Grove was in town Tuesday on business.

Rev. W. C. Leverett spent Tuesday in Bethlehem at a meeting of the Standing Committee.

Will Snyder, a graduate of the COLUMBIAN office, now employed at Yordy's, Wilkes-Barre, spent Sunday in town with friends.

Among those who attended the inauguration at Washington on the 4th were Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Blue, Mr. and Mrs. J. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Waller, Mrs. Col. Jameson, W. S. Rishton, Capt. J. B. Robison, J. C. Brown, W. L. Fornwald, L. N. Moyer, W. S. Moyer, C. L. Sands, Geo. Moyer, B. F. Hicks, Glascoe Cameron, E. D. Edgar, Mr. William Hartman.

Wednesday the 6th inst. was Ash-Wednesday, the first day of Lent.

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Paul E. Wirt Esq. has just placed another handsome walnut secretary in his office. It was obtained through W. J. Corell & Co.

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Don't fail to see Bartley Campbell's great play, "Fate," rendered by the emotional actress, Miss Lee Lamar and company, at the Opera House this Friday evening.

Mr. George Hughes of Shamokin, and Dr. Wisner of this place, have opened a livery stable in building back of the Central Hotel.

The members of the Rescue H. & L. Co. will give a ball in Friendship Hall next Thursday evening, for the benefit of Henry Williams, one of their members. A liberal patronage is solicited.

The "Fate" company, that will appear at the Opera House this (Friday) evening, carries its own special scenery for the production. "The Waterfall in the Glen," is said to be a most beautiful scene.

The Prohibition Amendment campaign will be opened in Bloomsburg with an address in the Opera House on Tuesday March 12th, at 8 p. m. by Col. T. B. Demaree, Grand Lecturer of the Grand Lodge I. O. G. T.

Work of grading for the connecting link, along the D. L. & W. Railroad, for the Reading railroad and Bloomsburg and Sullivan, is progressing as rapidly as can be expected at this season. It is expected that the branch will be completed by June 1st.

List of letters remaining in Post Office at Benton Pa. for month ending Feb. 28.

A. D. McHenry, Elmer Laubach, W. Knight, C. H. Johnson, Miss Mary Belles.

Persons calling for these letters will please say advertised.

ELIA E. APPLEMAN, P. M.

Bad blood causes dyspeptia and dyspepsia reacts by causing bad blood. So both go on, growing worse, until the whole system is poisoned. The surest means of relief for the victim is a thorough and persistent course of Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

The State Normal School of this district at Bloomsburg will begin the spring term on Monday April 1st, 1889. The attendance now is the largest in any winter term. Improvements keep pace with the growing numbers. Military training and a well-supplied reading-room are among the recent advantages. Mar. 8-2t.

The Rector of St. Paul's Church lends special thanks to the members of the new Orchestral Association for the very acceptable music at the Opera House, in connection with Mrs. Calhoun's recitations. Their well rendered selections added very much to the pleasure of the evening's entertainment.

The "Fate" company, which will appear at the Opera House this (Friday) evening, is playing this week in Pennsylvania towns, having a week's intermission between their appearance in New York and Philadelphia. They will begin a week's engagement on Monday night at the Kensington theatre, Philadelphia.

H. V. White has made some improvements in his office. The rooms are newly papered and painted, a door has been cut from the hall into the front room, and the books and shelving have been removed to the back room. The front room will be used as an office for the extensive grain and coal business of H. V. White & Co. A large new safe has been recently placed in the office.

The home of the late Deborah Harrison, deceased, fronting 101 feet upon East Street, upon which is erected a fine dwelling house, having been put up to public sale Friday last and not sold; the sale was adjourned to Tuesday March 15th, 10 o clock a. m., upon the premises, by Wm. Chrisman the Trustee, at which time the same must be sold. Here is a bargain for some one.

List of letters remaining in the Post Office at Bloomsburg for week ending Mar. 5, 1889.

Mr. Will J. Beagle, William Brewer, Mr. J. B. Butler, Mr. Jack Fox, Mr. Hyland, Mr. Joseph S. Miller, Miss Mary E. Nuss, Miss Katie Overdorf, Emma Sweeney, Miss Amanda Smith, Mr. Thomas Sickels.

Persons calling for these letters will please say "advertised."

GEORGE A. CLARK, P. M.

The office of the St. Elmo has undergone some changes during the past week. A lunch counter has been put in, and a good meal can be obtained at any hour of the day. The menu consists of oysters in every style, ham, eggs, bologna, cheese, sandwiches, &c. The hotel will be conducted the same as heretofore in all other respects. The services of an experienced male cook from Philadelphia have been secured, and "Cooney" proposes to run a first-class house. He is assisted by Charley Girton, who thoroughly understands the business.

The people of Philadelphia have at last waked up to the fact that much of the food consumed by them is very much adulterated. They are having an exposition of pure food and have some of the articles on exhibition put into estable shape by Mrs. Rohrer, Principal of the Philadelphia Cooking School. She also lectures as she cooks before the Association which makes the experiment doubly valuable. Some of the things she cooks are bread, biscuit, pop-overs, pastiy, sweet-bread, patties, mirletons, broiled oysters, potato salad, puree of peas, coffee, chocolate, &c. These sound well.

Mrs. Margaret Custer Calhoun's recitations at the Opera House last Saturday night drew a select and appreciative audience, notwithstanding the inclement weather. To say all that might be said of this lady who enjoys a very wide reputation as a charming elocutionist, would seem like flattery. Added to her beauty of person and sweetness of voice she has great versatility of tone and action, and she presents the humorous and the pathetic with equal power. There is no affectation in her readings, and one of the great secrets of her success lies in her natural simplicity. Her entertainment was a treat that we are not often permitted to enjoy.

Clergymen, lawyers, public speakers, singers, and actors, all recognize the virtues of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. One of our most eminent public men says: "It is the best remedy that can be procured for all affections of the vocal organs, throat and lungs."

Life size crayons in gold frames only $10. tf M'Killip Bros.

Col. Samuel Knorr.

Col. Samuel Knorr died at his residence on Fifth Street on Saturday March 2nd at 2 p. m. He has been suffering from disease for several years, and for several weeks past he was confined to his bed. He was a man of integrity, a lawyer of ability, a citizen who was interested in the public welfare. His loss is a great one to the bar, and the community, as well as to the family thus bereaved by a husband and father. He leaves a wife, a son, Clifford, a daughter, Mildred, the latter being a senior at Vassar college. During the past two years he became a large owner of stock in the Bloomsburg Iron Co. and was elected President of that corporation. For some time he has not been engaged in active practice owing to his health.

At a meeting of the Bar held in the court room on Monday morning, a committee was appointed, and at a meeting held on Tuesday at 1:30 p. m. the committe made the following report:

TO THE BAR OF COLUMBIA COUNTY.

MESSRS:

Your committee, appointed to draft an address and resolutions expressive of your sentiments relative to the death of Samuel Knorr Esq., late a member of this body. Respectfully report—and Resolve,

That Samuel Knorr was born in the County of Columbia on the 24th day of December A. D. 1836; and after obtaining such education as the schools of the county afforded; and spending some years teaching, entered the office of William G. Hurley Esq., and fitted himself for the Bar, to which he was admitted in 1863. After beginning his preparation for the Bar, he volunteered in the military service of his country. Of that career others will speak, and it need only be said here, that he was a gallant soldier and a meritorious officer, and attained to the rank of St. Colonel in the service.

During the 25 years in which he was in the active practice of his chosen profession, he showed himself to be a learned expert and competent lawyer. Tenacious of the cause of his client, he was nevertheless courteous in his bearing toward Bench and Bar, and his professional career was permeated and dominated by an honesty and integrity of character, which was always true to the right.

In his religious convictions he was a Methodist and was there, as elsewhere, true to his christian character, and calling.

1. That in the death of Samuel Knorr Esq the Bar of Columbia County and the suitors in the Courts have lost a conspicious and able lawyer and advocate, whose life and example may well be followed by the members of the Bar, late his associates.

2. That we tender to the family of Col. Knorr assurances of our sympathy in their bereavement, of our appreciation of his character, and of our respect for his reputation and memory.

JOHN G. FREEZE)
C. B. JACKSON ·Com.
B. FRANK ZARR)

The report and resolutions were adopted; and it was further Resolved,

That the Bar should attend the funeral ceremonies in a Body; and that a copy of the proceedings should be prepared and forwarded to the family.

The funeral took place at the house on Tuesday at 2 p. m. Ent Post No. 259 G. A. R. attended in a body and acted as pall bearers. The services at the house were conducted by Rev. Dr. Frost, and at the grave by Ent Post. The Bar followed the Post, wearing crape on the left arm. There were also present members of the Board of Trustees of the Normal School, and the Faculty of the school in a body.

At a meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Bloomsburg State Normal School, March 4, 1889, specially called by the President in respect to the memory of Col. Samuel Knorr, who died Saturday the 2nd inst. the committee appointed in relation thereto, report as a minute to be placed upon record:

That we do extend our sincere sympathy to the family in their bereavement, and commend them for complete consolation and submissive reconciliation to Him who in perfect wisdom, and fullness of mercy directs all things to His own glory, and gives peace in the most trying of His dispensations of providence, and comfort in the severest trials.

It is a privilege and pleasure that we who have been associated with him as a member of the board, may unhesitatingly record as a tribute to his memory, that the confidence placed in him by the Superintendent of Public Instruction, in appointing him a member of this board in 1875, and continuing therein by re-appointment from time to time was well placed.

Born in this county and known by many of us from his youth, we have found him early showing that usefulness and eminence in life is the result of modest and unassuming activity, directed by a positive and unwavering mind and heart, exalted in seeking to aid the best interests of society, and purified by an earnest desire to conform to the principles of christian religion which he accepted and acknowledged as the best guide in life. Thus Col. Knorr made himself felt for good in society in business, in peace and in war, in private and in public service. In his death this board feels the loss of his prudent and faithful services, and his pleasant association.

JOHN A. FUNSTON,
CHARLES G. BARKLEY,
C. W. MILLER.
Committee.

At a meeting of the Board of Trustees of the State Normal School, held March 1st, a committee was appointed to draft resolutions relative to the death of Hon. L. B. Rupert. The committee reported the following:

The Trustees of the State Normal School for the Sixth District of Pennsylvania hereby express their deep sense of the loss which the institution has sustained in the death of Hon. Leonard B. Rupert. From the very inception of the movement for a high grade school in Bloomsburg he took a deep interest, and from that time up to his death he was an active and progressive member of the Board of Trustees. Judge Rupert was first elected a trustee of the Bloomsburg Literary Institute in 1856. He was present at a meeting held in May 1866, for the reorganization of that corporation, which resulted in the location of the school on its present site, and the erection of the Institute building, and the same year he was elected President of the board of Trustees, and continued in that position until 1873, discharging the duties thereof with ability and fidelity. His voice has many times been heard in public in behalf of the school, and when, during the early days of the institution there was a hard struggle to keep it in existence, he was ever ready with his means to bear his full share of the burden. His interest never flagged, and to his earnest efforts is the cause of higher education, this community is largely indebted for its present admirable educational advantages.

As a mark of their respect for the deceased, the Trustees will attend the funeral in a body.

To the wife and children of the deceased, in their bereavement, the Trustees extend their warmest sympathy, and direct that a copy of these minutes be sent them by the secretary and also that copies be sent to the town newspapers for publication.

WM. NEAL,
J. SCHUYLER,
JOHN A. FUNSTON,
JOHN WOLF,
GEO. E. ELWELL.
Committee.

At a meeting of the directors of the Bloomsburg Bridge Company, held at the office of the President on Monday evening March 4th; the death of Leonard B. Rupert, late a member of the Board was announced, whereupon on consideration it was

Resolved, That we tender to the family of Judge Rupert our cordial sympathy in their affliction

That we feel and acknowledge his death to be a loss to the community and to the Board, of a useful, competent and attentive member.

The Board of Directors of the Rosemont Cemetery Company at their annual meeting on 28th February 1889, have heard with profound regret of the decease this day of Hon. Leonard B. Rupert, the senior member of this Board.

The Board records its recognition of the faithful services of our departed associate. From the earliest organization of the Company his ideas of progress, on a strictly business basis, always clearly stated, secured the full consideration of the Board and contributed to its prosperity.

The bereaved family are hereby assured of the deep sympathy of this Board, in their affliction *Resolved*, That a copy of these proceedings be engrossed by the Secretary, and sent to the family. *Resolved*. That the Board, in body, attend the funeral of their late associate, on Saturday next.

D. J. WALLER,
WM. NEAL
JOHN G. FREEZE. } Com.

It was resolved also that a copy of these resolutions be published in the newspapers.

ROBT. R. LITTLE, Secy.

Resolutions.

Resolutions adopted by the Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Society of St. Matthews Ev. Lutheran Church Bloomsburg, Penna. upon the death of Mrs. M. L. Markley widow of the late Rev. O. D. S. Markley.

WHEREAS: It has pleased our Heavenly Father in His allwise providence to remove from our midst our sister and co-laborer in the work therefore be it.

Resolved, That we deem it fitting as a society, to express our greatest respect for her noble christian character and purity of life which was always shown by her consistent walk while with us.

Resolved, That we sympathize most deeply with the bereaved children and friends. That we commend them to the mercy of Our Father in Heaven, remembering that sorrows here in this world shall work out for us a far more exceeding and eternal weight of glory in the next.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the children of the deceased and other copies inserted in the County and Church papers.

MRS. B. F. ZARR
MRS. G. P. FEYMIRE } Com.
MRS. S. M. TURNBACH

MARCH 4th., 1889.

Death of Calendar Potter.

Mr. Calendar Potter died at his home on East Street Sunday March 3d at about one o'clock. He has been suffering for a number of years with a disease akin to Bright's Disease of the Kidneys. For some time past he has been treated for Asthma, and it was only at his recent sickness that his real disease was ascertained. Mr. Potter was born at Loyalsock, Lycoming Co. Pa. March 12th 1821, being at death aged 67 years 11 months and 21 days. When 9 years of age he moved with his father to Huntington township, Luzerne Co. Pa. January 29th, 1843 he married Miss Ann E. Drake, daughter of Samuel Drake of New Columbus, Pa. He moved to Bloomsburg in April 1844, and pursued the work of carpenter, in which he was an expert. He was a modest, unassuming man and leaves many friends in the community. His wife and three children survive him, as follows: Albert S. Potter of Moberly, Mo., Mrs. W. P. Conner of Bloomsburg, and Miss Lue W. Potter, who for a few years has been teaching at Nanticoke, Pa. Funeral services were held at the house Wednesday afternoon at 2 p. m.

Card of Thanks.

If the proprietor of Kemp's Balsam should publish a card of thanks, containing expressions of gratitude which come to him daily, from those who have been cured of severe throat and lung troubles by the use of Kemp's Balsam, it would fill a fair-sized book. How much better to invite all to call on any druggist and get a free sample bottle that you may test for yourself its power. Large bottles 50c and $1.00.

Prof. Carver Dead.

News was received here a few days ago announcing the death of Henry Carver in Colorado on February 20, at the age of 68. Prof. Carver came to Bloomsburg in 1865 and opened a school in the old academy that stood on the corner of Third and Jefferson streets, where Dr. Evans' house now stands. In a very short time he gained the confidence of the people, and the project of building a school was agitated, resulting in the completion of the Bloomsburg Literary Institute in 1867. On April 4, of that year, the building was dedicated. The plans were made by Prof. Carver, and the Hall building under his supervision as contractor for $15,900. In 1868 the school was made a Normal school; and again a second building was erected, Prof Carver taking the contract for $36,000. While engaged in the erection of these large buildings the school was in constant operation. It was the privilege of the writer to be a pupil of Prof. Carver's the first year of his work here, and we well remember the wonderful control he held over the school. He was a man of indomitable will, and his equals as a disciplinarian are few and far between. The school was crowded with pupils, and flourished under his management for a time. In December 1871 he left here and since then has resided in New Jersey and Colorado, and other states. Though he had his faults, as a teacher he will never be forgotten by any who were his pupils.

Consumption Surely Cured

TO THE EDITOR—Please inform your readers that I have a positive remedy for the above named disease. By its timely use thousands of hopeless cases have been permanently cured. I shall be glad to send wo bottles of my remedy FREE to any of your readers who have consumption if they will send me their express and post offic address. Respectfully, T. A. SLOCUM M. C., 181 Pearl St., New York. [sep2-21-1y

Industrial Education.

At a meeting of the Trustees of the Normal School held March 1, the following resolutions were adopted:

WHEREAS, Under a resolution of the Senate concurred in by the House, a Commission was appointed in 1887 to inquire and report respecting the subject of Industrial Education;

AND WHEREAS, The report of said Commission made, or to be made, to the present Legislature, will be, as we are informed, strongly favorable to the establishment of some system of Industrial Training in our State;

AND WHEREAS, As Trustees of the Bloomsburg State Normal School, we are heartily in accord with the Acts and Recommendations of said Commission, and are unanimous in the opinion that the general welfare and happiness of the masses, as well as the industrial interests of our Commonwealth, can be in no manner better promoted than by a system of public instruction in Manual Training;

THEREFORE RESOLVED, That we urge upon the Senators and Representatives, of our Normal School District, careful consideration of the report of the Commission on Industrial Education, and request their earnest efforts in having the same incorporated by law into the existing system of public instruction, by adding to the requirements of Normal Schools a Department for Industrial Training, and obtaining sufficient funds by legislative appropriation to enable the Normal Schools of the State to erect necessary buildings and equip the same with necessary tools, machinery, &c., and maintain them in operation.

Hospital Remedies.

What are they? The growth of intelligence in medical matters has given rise to a demand for a class of genuine, reliable medicines. The opportunity of the ignorant quack, who grew rich curing everything out of a single bottle has passed. To supply satisfactorily this demand this list of remedies has been created. They are the favorite prescriptions of the most famous medical practioners of the day, gathered from the hospitals of London, Paris Berlin and Vienna. Prescriptions which cost the patients of these specialists from $25 to $100, are here offered, prepared and ready for use, at the nominal price of *One Dollar Each*. Not one of them is a cure all; each one has only the reasonable power of curing a single disease and each one keeps its contract. Sufferers from Catarrh, Diseased Lungs, Bronchitis, Asthma, Consumption, Rheumatism, Dyspepsia, Liver and Kidney Complaints, Fever and Ague, Neuralgia, Female Weakness, Leucorrhœa, or Nervous Debility, should send stamp for descripuve catalogue to Hospital Remedy Co., No. 3 3½ West King St., Toronto, Canada. If your druggist does not keep these remedies remit price and we will send direct free of duty.

Mrs. Susan E. wife of John McCormick, died of confinement Friday of last week. She was nearly forty-two years of age.

A Family Gathering.

Have you a father? Have you a mother? Have you a son or daughter, sister or a brother who has not yet taken Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs, the guaranteed remedy for the cure of Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Croup and all Throat and Lung troubles? If so, why? when a sample bottle is gladly given to you *free* by any druggist and the large size costs only 50c and $1.00.

FOR RHEUMATISM in any form take Brown's Salicyline. Price 50 cents, two bottles sent free for $1. Brown Salicyline Co., Elmira, N. Y. It cures nine out of ten. Mar. 1-4t.

WANAMAKER'S.

PHILADELPHIA, Monday, March 4, 1889.

Gloriosa.
Do you know the stuff?
It is silk-and-wool.
The warp, which is thrown up to the face, is all silk, the filling is wool, the effect is changeable and beautiful—a sort of sublime silk-warp mohair, only better.
Crush it in your hand, then shake it out. Where are the wrinkles? Drop dust upon it, then shake it again. Where is the dust? Gone, like the wrinkles.
A full dress pattern is 7 yards, sometimes more, and again less. Such a pattern weighs a pound and a quarter, and is so compact that Benedict may easily carry it home in his overcoat pocket. A troop of Gloriosa came to the Novelty Dress Goods counters late last week—in blue, red, yellow, steel, gray, plain and striped. 48 inches wide at $1.50. Nobody told of their coming. But somehow the stuffs caught the eye and won the approval of many wise women. A Gloriosa stampede began.
Are you not interested?

Get a Colored Silk-Warp Henrietta that's worthy the name, and you've a delightful stuff.
Whatever is good in the silk shows; whatever is good in the wool shows. They help each other. Silk never seems so silky nor wool so soft as when the two get together in a Henrietta.
Pretenders, of course. There is the trouble. Fair outside and even tint isn't all. Get a bit between thumb and fingers. Pull. Does it slip? There's a test. The flimsy, slimpsy stuffs that masquerade as Silk-Warp Henrietta give with very little pressure. They're a nuisance. *We won't touch a yard of silk-warp goods that we don't know to be right.* Soft but springy, lustrous, firm.
Only the *best* makes. Line of Colored Silk-Warp Henriettas is now complete. $1, $1.25 and $1.50.

Hemstitched and Bordered Nun's Veiling — Black. For Dresses. A very few pieces got into town last season. Not one woman in a thousand caught sight of them. They were snapped up too quickly. They'll be scarce again this year—not very plenty now. Prices will almost certainly be higher.
It takes mountains of stuffs to go around when a good, share of the women everywhere are on the watch for it. Mountains of this Hemstitched and Bordered Nun's Veiling haven't been made yet.
The fullest assortment we know of. 75c, $1, $1.25, $1.50, $1.75, and $2.

Maybe a hundred 50 cent double-width All-wool Suitings. Stripes, plaids, and solid colors. Good looking stuffs—something for any right-minded taste. Better weight and quality than you've been used to get for half a dollar.

WANAMAKER'S.

An armful of Books from the New Book Table;

Jonathan and His Continent. By Max O'Rell	$1.10
The American Commonwealth. By James Bryce. 2 vols	5.40
A Daughter of Eve. By the Author of Margaret Kent	$1.10
Scientific Religion. By Laurence Oliphant	$2.00
The Nun of Kenmare	1.10
Through the Heart of Asia. By Gabriel Bonvalot. 2 vols	4.75
Hazell's Annual. A Cyclopædia for 1889.	1.20
French Traits. By W. C. Brownell	1.10
The Government of the United States. By W. J. Cocke	.85
Books and Men. By Agnes Repplier	.90
Whitaker's Almanac for 1889	.20
Paper cover	.40
Gertrude's Marriage. By W. Heimburg. Translated by Mrs. J. W. Davis	.90
Paper cover	.40
First and Fundamental Truths. By Mc-Cosh	1.50
Elementary History of Art. By D'Anvers. New edition	3.00
Robert Elsmere. By Mrs. Humphrey Ward	.25
Beaconcroft at Rockstone. By Charlotte M. Yonge	1.10
Mexico. Story of the Nations. By Susan Hale	1.10
Commodore Junk. By G. Manville Fenn	.75
A Stiffnecked Generation. By L. B. Walford	.75
Paper	.25
The Land of Darkness. By Author of The Little Pilgrim	.90
Ancient Rome. By Rodolfo Lanciani	4.50
Authors at Home. By J. L. and J. B. Gilder	1.10

Men's Linen Handkerchiefs that since Christmas were $4.80 a dozen are going at $2.25. Pure white, hemmed and bordered.
Women's Handkerchiefs, printed borders and hemstitched, 90c a dozen, 6 for 45c.
Harvest time for Handkerchief buyers sure enough.
JOHN WANAMAKER.

LOCAL NOTICES.

Have you seen the hosiery for spring at Clark & Son's.

M'Killip

BLOOMSBURG.

Fine Cabinet portraits only $3. doz. Life size Crayons only $10.00. Viewing, copying and enlarging. Instant process used. tf.

You will find full lines of dress goods and dress cloths at Clark & Son's.

Blooded Fowls.

Pit Games, Grist Shawlnecks, Heathwoods, Black B. Reds, that will stay to win. Eggs, 13 for $1. Satisfaction Guaranteed.
WILLIAM DENNIS,
tf. Bloomsburg, Pa.
(Mention this paper.)

10 per cent off for cash on all woolen goods for the next 30 days, at A. M. DeWitt's, Orangeville, Pa. 4w*

Ladies should try the Mme Warren Dress Form corsets, also the Royal Worster corsets at Clark & Son's. Perfect glove fitting.

Remnants of carpets. Closing out at greatly reduced prices. A large stock of Brussels, Ingrain and Rag Carpets, in lengths from 3 to 20 yards; prices from 18 cts. up, at Henry C. Hartman's old stand, next door to I. W. Hartman & Son's Bloomsburg, Pa. At the same place Miss H. E. Wasley will open about April 1, a full line of Millinery, of the latest and most fashionable styles for the spring of 1889. m1-2t

The handsomest styles in satines we have ever shown are now on our counters. Clark & Son's.

A rare opportunity is presented for some enterprising townsman to represent a Nursery firm that warrants stock to be delivered in prime condition, so that a large, honorable and permanent trade can be built up. Very liberal terms to the right man. Address, JAMES E. WHITNEY, Jan 25-3m. Rochester, N. Y.

Engraved business cards can be obtained at the COLUMBIAN office. Ladies having plates can have cards printed. tf

We show good values in towels, Table Linens, napkins and crashes from 5c yd. up at Clark & Son's.

A very fine line of Black Nun's Veiling, both the silk warp and the all wool, with woven border, suitable for mourning veils at H. W. SLOAN'S.

See the hair pins and hair curlers at Clark & Son's.

Black henriettas from 75c up to the fine silk warp at $1.65 and other black dress goods, all kinds at H. W. SLOAN'S.

I. W. HARTMAN & SONS' start out this week with only 5 Hanging Lamps left, will be sold *cheap* before putting away time. Fine dishes and low prices is the motto with us. We have customers from up as far as Jamison City, and all along the line of the B. & S. R. R., also from up and down the L. & B. R. R. and when the Rupert and Bloomsburg line is finished, there will be hur a rah from Catawissa, Mainville, Beaver Valley and all points along the line to Bloomsburg.

Mark this fact, we are alive to fresh styles in dress goods this spring. Our new sateens in Single Dress Patterns (12 yds.) are stylish. The new shades in Henriettas are here.

Butter, Eggs, etc., will buy Dishes, Glassware, Groceries and Dry Goods.

I. W. Hartman & Sons.

We will sell on Saturday and Monday a ladies fine Jersey ribbed vest silk trimmed all through at the low price of 29c. Clark & Son.

Our satines are now open. All colors and qualities. Fine line of tinsel trimmings and galoons for trimming same at H. W. SLOAN'S.

You should see the handsome line of new Stockinet; Jackets Clark & Son are now showing cheaper than ever.

W. H. BROOKE & CO.

The season is at hand when Teachers are thinking about Reward of Merit cards. We have them, also a "Silent Teacher," which is in many respects superior to those of flesh and blood. Ask to see them.

If there is anything you want in the Book or Stationery line we do not have, we will get it for you. Any paper or magazine at the publisher's price.

For those who are fastidious about their writing paper, our Fine Stationery Department contains distinct attractions in papeteries and correspondence cards, such makes as Marcus Ward, J. Z. Crane and Lyons, their names guarantee the quality.

We keep constantly on hand a large assortment of blank books, miscellaneous books etc. Wall Paper and Window Shades at the lowest prices consistent with good goods.

Legal Blank Forms, all sorts of Leases, Contracts, Deeds, etc.

W. H. BROOKE & Co.

BUSINESS NOTICES

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

Piles! Piles! Itching Piles.

SYMPTOMS—Moisture; intense itching and stinging; most at night; worse by scratching. If allowed to continue tumors form, which often bleed and ulcerate, becoming very sore. Swayne's Ointment stops the itching and bleeding, heals ulceration, and in most cases removes the tumors. At druggists, or by mail, for 50 cents. Dr. Swayne & Son, Philadelphia. may-4 1y.

Eczema, Itchy, Scaly, Skin Tortures.

The simple application of "Swayne's Ointment," without any internal medicine will cure any case of Tetter, Salt Rheum Ringworm, Piles, Itch, Sores, Pimples, Eczema, all Scaly, Itchy Skin Eruptions, no matter how obstinate or long standing. It is potent, effective, and costs but a trifle May-4-'88-1y

FRANK AUSLER, of Norristown, says there is no greater physician than Dr. Theel, of 538 North Fourth Street, Philadelphia, he cured me of my Nervous Debility and a grave heart complaint, after being treated by family and hospital physicians without benefit. He advises all sufferers to consult the Doctor personally or by letter.

ADMINISTRATORS' SALE

OF VALUABLE

Real Estate!

The undersigned administrators of Samuel Nungesser deceased, will expose to public sale on the premises, on

Thursday March 14 1889,

at 10 o'clock a. m., a farm, situate in Beaver township, Columbia county, bounded and described as follows: Adjoining lands of Henry Swank, John Singly, Sarah Longenberger, Christian Shuman and others, containing

94 ACRES,

and 67 perches, about eighty acres under good cultivation, the balance in timber, well watered by a good and unfailing spring and other streams. The improvements consists of a new

TWO-STORY HOUSE, BANK BARN,

and other outbuildings, all in good condition, 2 apple orchards and other fruits; said farm is pleasantly situated in a good neighborhood and convenient railroad facilities.

TERMS OF SALE:—$100.00 on the day of sale, $400.00 when possession is given, the balance in easy payments.

H. W. NUNGESSER,
Feb 8 WILLIAM E. YEAGER,
Administrators.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

OF VALUABLE

Real Estate!

By virtue of a writ of Lev. Fa. issued out of the Orphans' Court of Columbia county and to me directed, will be exposed to public sale at the Court House in the town of

Educational Bill.

THE FOLLOWING BILL, RECOMMENDED BY THE BOARD OF CONTROLLERS OF THE ALLEGHENY SCHOOL DISTRICT, IS NOW BEFORE THE PRESENT LEGISLATURE.

AN ACT

TO SECURE TO CHILDREN THE BENEFITS OF ELEMENTARY EDUCATION, PROVIDING FOR THE ENFORCEMENT OF THE SAME, AND FIXING PENALTIES FOR ITS VIOLATION.

SECTION I. *Be it enacted &c.* All parents and those who have the care of children shall instruct them, or cause them to be instructed in reading, writing, spelling, English grammer, arithmetic, geography, physiology and hygiene. And every person having under his control a child between the ages of eight and fourteen years, shall cause such child to attend some public or private day school at least sixteen weeks in each year, eight weeks at least of which attendance shall be consecutive; and for every neglect of such duty the person offending shall forfeit a sum not exceeding twenty-five dollars ($25) to the treasurer of the school district in which the offense occurs, to be recovered in summary proceedings before any Mayor, Alderman or Justice of the Peace. *Provided*, that if the physical or mental condition of such child is such as to prevent the attendance at school or application to study, such penalty shall not be incurred.

SEC. II. Children living remote from any public school in the district in which they reside, may be allowed to attend the public schools in the adjoining district, under such regulations as the Controllers or School Directors of said districts agree upon and prescribe.

SEC. III. In every case arising under this Act, where the parent guardian or other persons having control of any child between the said ages of eight and fourteen years is unable to provide such child for said sixteen weeks with the necessary clothing and text books to enable such child to attend school for said period, and shall so state in writing to the Board of School Directors or Controllers of the district, the said Directors or Controllers shall, after satisfying themselves of the truth of such statement, provide said clothing and text books, and the expense of the same shall be borne by the school district in which the books and clothing are furnished.

SEC. IV. The Board of School Directors or Controllers in Cities, Borough and Townships shall, annually, at their first meeting in June, elect one or more persons to be designated truant officers, who shall inquire into all cases of neglect of duty prescribed in Section one, and ascertain the reasons therefor, and such truant officers, or any of them, shall prosecute in the name of the City, Borough or Township, and in the manner indicated in Section one, any and all persons liable to the penalty provided in said section.

SEC. V. Boards of school Directors or Controllers in any City, Borough or Township, neglecting to elect truant officers, and truant officers neglecting to prosecute when directed, as required by law, shall forfeit not less than ten ($10) nor more than fifty ($50) dollars to the use of the public schools in the City, Borough or Township where the neglect occurs, as aforesaid, or to the use of the public schools in the City, Borough or Township where such truant officers resides. And the compensation and travelling fees of such truant officers shall be the same as now established for Constables in the service of a criminal process, and paid out of the school funds of the respective districts.

SEC. VI. Every child between the ages of ten and fourteen, who refuses to attend school, as required in Section one, and who may be found wandering about the streets or public places of any City, Borough or Township, while the school of which he is legally a pupil, is in session, on complaint of the truant officers, before the proper authority, shall be committed to the State Reform School; *provided*, however, that it shall be the duty of every truant officer previous to making complaint under this section to notify the truant or absentee from school; also, the person having him under control, of the offense committed and the penalty therefor, and if the truant can obtain satisfactory pledges that the child will conform to Section one of this Act he shall forbear to prosecute as long as such pledges are faithfully kept.

SEC. VII. Any person having control of any child amendable to the provisions of this Act, who is unable to induce such child to attend school for the prescribed term, and shall so state in writing to the Board of Directors or truant officer or the district, shall be relieved of all penalties incurred for that school year after that date under this Act, and such child shall, thereupon, be deemed and dealt with as an habitual truant, and may be committed to the State Reform School in the manner provided in Section six.

SEC. VIII. Each week's failure on the part of any one to comply with the provisions of Section one shall be a distinct offense, punishable with a fine not exceeding five ($5) dollars; and all offences concerning the same child shall be charged in separate counts, joined in one complaint. When a complaint contains more than one count, the court may give sentence on one or more and suspend sentence on the remaining counts. If at the end of ten weeks from the date of the sentence it shall appear that the child concerned has attended school regularly during that time, then judgment on such remaining counts shall not be executed. Every truant officer shall be duty bound to investigate every report of truancy in writing made to him by a School Director or Controller, Superintendent or Teacher of the public schools in his district, and if such charge of truancy be well founded, shall proceed as provided in Section VI, and his failure so to proceed shall be construed as a neglect of duty, and punished as in Section five.

SEC. IX. It shall be the duty of the County, City, Borough or Township Superintendents to ascertain by visitation, examination or otherwise, whether the children between the ages of eight and fourteen years, attending any private or public school within their respective districts, are receiving adequate instruction in the branches of reading, writing, spelling, English grammer, arithmetic, geography, physiology and hygiene, as specified in the first Section of this Act.

SEC. X. The board of School Directors or Controllers of every City, Borough or Township shall, from time to time, adopt such provisions, rules, arrangements and regulations for the enforcement of the provisions of this Act, not conflicting therewith, as shall to them appear fitting.

SEC. XI. This Act shall go into effect on the first day of June, A. D. 1890.

SEC. XII. All Acts or parts of Acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

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At the Island of Malta.

THE MEDITERRANEAN STRONGHOLD—VALLETTA AND HER PALACES—THE GLORY OF THE PAST—KNIGHTLY RELICS—LIFE IN MALTA.

VALLETTA, MALTA.

Almost as old as its hills are the stories that are told of the great wealth and glory of Malta, of which its geographical position made it the centre in the civilization of the past, when the Knights of St. John intrenched themselves here and held high carnival within its territory. To be sure they have passed away, but on every hand there remains much to remind us of this people when at the heighth of their glory. We are confronted with the sublime fact that the knights are dead, but a rich inheritance has come down to us.

I cannot, perhaps, spend a few moments more interestingly than in looking with you over the island, and in noting the relics of the old civilization which time has spared. Everywhere may be seen the remnants and the ruins of its past, in temples and palaces and in deserted capitals and catacombs.

Malta is the merest dot on the map of the world, hardly seventeen miles long and nine miles broad, lying midway in the Mediterranean near Sicily, with a delightful semi-tropical climate, a comparatively fertile soil, and a large and contented population. The land is low and rugged, the ridge of hills that runs across the island having an elevation at its highest point of about five hundred feet. The situation is admirable for defense, and has been intrenched with strong fortifications and batteries.

Our war-ship rounded the island at night, and approached Valletta from the eastward. The harbor, which the morning revealed to us as a scene of unusual activity, is one of the finest in the world, consisting of two inlets of unequal size. The one on the left known as the great harbor, which is reached through a narrow entrance guarded on either side by strong fortifications, is used by English men-of-war vessels of other nations and to ships whose stay is prolonged. In the latter the Juniata was anchored, where she lay for a time with the city before her, a fair sky above her, and with the clear waters dotted with sails all around her, the center of a beautiful panorama.

Valletta is the fortified capital of the island, and is situated on its north eastern side, resembling, as someone has said, a huge turtle stranded upon a reef. It is built upon a high and narrow tongue of land that projects into the harbor, dividing the water in two parts. It is a beautiful city even as seen from shipboard, that impresses one with a sense of its superior intrenchment and power of resistance.

The principal streets traverse the city lengthwise, parallel with the surface of the water on gradually ascending levels, forming a succession of terraces walled with stone, and presenting to one in either harbor the appearance of a solid mass of houses that rises from the water's edge to the height of two hundred feet. The transverse streets are narrow and steep, and are nothing more than flights of stone steps. The buildings are of stone, which seems to be the only natural product of the island, and are compact and massive, many of which are magnificent structures. In point of architecture, it is claimed, Valletta rivals any of the capitals of Europe.

Turn where you may, you are confronted with some historical site, memorial or building. Here is the old Palace of the Grand Masters, towering above its surroundings and occupying an entire square. You marvel at its mammoth proportions, its massive walls and its impressive solidity. The palace is in a fair state of preservation, and in part is used for the residence of the governor of the colony. You may enter the court, pass through the corridors, mount the stair-cases and visit the chambers and council rooms.

A large hall, known as the Armory, is devoted to an immense collection of arms and armors, that were worn or captured by the Knights, and of trophies of war and tournament. Here are battle axes that would cleave a giant's skull, a helmet weighing forty pounds that none but a giant could wear, swords with golden hilts set with diamonds, a breech-loading gun and a rope made cannon that was taken from the Turks. At the foot of the stairs stands the great carriage of state, an antique vehicle, in which, it is said, Napoleon rode at the head of his army when he took possession of Malta.

The Council Chamber of the Knights, colossal in its size with lofty ceilings and marble floors, is hung with beautiful and finely-woven tabestries that are covered with figures of men and animals, representing scenes in various parts of the world. In the corridors may be seen figures of knights and men-at-arms in full armor, bearing upon their shields the escutcheons of the Grand Master from the founding of their order.

Throughout the city and islands many fine buildings that were used for hospitals and inns, of which one was set apart for each nationality. Most of these are in a ruinous state, and are used by the inhabitants for ordinary purposes, some of them being transformed into club houses and ball rooms, and others made to serve as residences and warehouses.

Of the churches, which were made the feature of the age, that of St. John remains the most striking and magnificent. You enter the portal with the feeling that the past is looking down upon you. The interior is handsomely decorated, the ceiling and walls containing many beautiful paintings of Biblical scenes and characters. The floor consists of inlaid slabs of marble, bearing the crests and coats-of-arms of the Knights who were buried beneath them. The ornaments of the altar are made of solid gold and silver, many of which were carried away by the French early in the century.

The old capital of Malta, formerly called Medina but now known as Citta Vecchia, situated a few miles from the city, although in ruins and well nigh deserted so far as a place can be abandoned in a densely peopled island, is an object of interest to which you are likely to be directed. The way leads you along a hard and stony road, which is fenced in by high stone walls entirely shutting off the view on either side. The old city occupies an eminence, commanding a fair view of the island, and straggles over a considerable area.

On your arrival at the entrance you are importuned by a host of boys and men, who are perfectly willing to hold your horse or serve as guide for a nominal fee. They will show you through the old cathedral in which are still found some of the paintings of the masters; they will direct you to the Cave of St. Paul, which is fifteen feet in diameter and twelve feet deep, where the apostle is said to have dwelt for three months, and in which a candle is kept burning continually; they will point out the catacombs, which were dug by the Saracens and afterwards used by the Knights as a place of seclusion for the living and of burial for the dead, and which communicated by an underground passage with Valletta nine miles distant; they will take you to the ruins of an old Roman villa, the walls and mosaic floors of which have but recently been uncovered. And if you are not exhausted they will advise you to return to the city by way of numerous little villages, which you will be very likely to do, to relieve the tedious ride if for no other purpose.

The island of Malta has a dense population, numbering one hundred and fifty thousand, of which nearly a half are residents of Valletta, and many are gathered in villages and communities. They are a frugal people, and are engaged in gardening and trade. Old ideas and customs prevail among them. The Italian language is generally spoken by the better classes, although the native tongue is a mixed one. They are devoted to the affairs of Church, and sustain excellent schools and social institutions.

In matters of amusements the tastes of the English society dominate, among whom Italian opera and balls are held in high favor. The carnival season, however, which occurs in the month of February, represents the height of popular enjoyment, the great features of which seem to be processions of people in grotesque costumes and with bands of music, making a perfect pandemonium of the place for days together. It is at this time that everybody exercises a certain privilege of throwing bits of hard candy from the streets and windows at the passer-by, even to the peril of his eyes and head, although to the infinite delight of everyone else.

The hospitality of the good people of Malta and the official courtesies, shown towards us during our stay in port, were of the kindliest nature. The reception and ball of the governor in the old Palace enabled American naval officers to meet their English cousins of her majesty's fleet and army, whose representatives were present in large numbers, a compliment which we were able only in part to return on shipboard under the stars and stripes of our national ensign.

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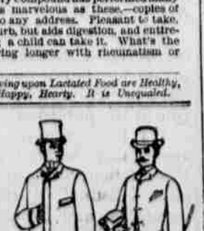

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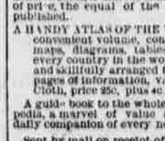

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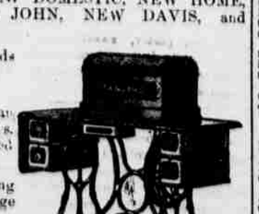

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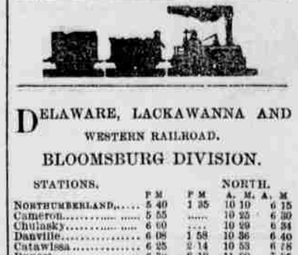

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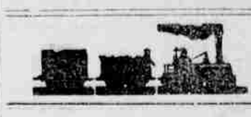

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NORTHUMBERLAND	5 40	1 35	10 10	6 15
Cameron	5 55	.....	10 25	6 30
Chulasky	6 00	.....	10 29	6 34
Danville	6 08	1 58	10 36	6 40
Catawissa	6 25	2 14	10 53	6 58
Rupert	6 30	2 19	11 00	7 05
Bloomsburg	6 36	2 24	11 07	7 12
Espy	6 42	2 29	11 15	7 20
Lime Ridge	6 50	.....	11 22	7 27
Willow Grove	6 54	.....	11 26	7 31
Briarcreek	6 59	.....	11 30	7 35
Berwick	7 05	2 48	11 37	7 42
Beach Haven	7 11	2 54	11 44	7 49
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